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In ~~Part~~ B for october 1865

SUBJECT.

Site for the Construction of a Suitable Jail at Harihar.

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Section P+J
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To The Judicial Commissioner Lyttelton

Dated 11th May
Despatched do
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Enclosures No. 4

General No 180
Jud No 6
} 1865-66.

Draws attention to this Office Circular No 3383/493 of the 7th Dec 1864 regarding Jail accommodation, and requests that he will be good enough to submit the Report called for at his earliest convenience

By Order

Actg Secy

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To The Jud.l Comr.
in Mysore

Dated Bangalore 21st August 1865

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Rec.d No. 1994
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General No. 1994 1865/66
Jud.l 48

In reply to No. 104 of 15th
Instant, regarding the
contemplated construction
of a Jail at Kurrihur, I
convey certain remarks,
and authorize an Expen-
diture of Rupees 800 for imp-
roving the Temporary Jail
at Shemoga.

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Gal. Co. 1997 } 1865/66.
Sect. 48.

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H. C. A.
Bangalore 1st August 1865.

To
The Secretary
to Government.

Sir

In reply to your letter No. 1011 dated the 15th Inst. I am directed by the Commr. to state that he fears it will be necessary to address the Govt of India regarding the contemplated construction of a Jail at Nundidroog ~~but that~~ the Commr. will in the meantime be authorized to dispose the sum of Rs. 1000/- for necessary repairs to the temporary Jail at Shimoga

I have &c
W
Secy.

D 19/8/65 partly wrote third Asst it was possibly to necessary that a suitable site should be determined on by the Govt of Medical Officers, in communication with the Sr. Engineer

To Genl. Vacl.

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Cycul: No 2046
PWD 304
Civil Works
Buildings

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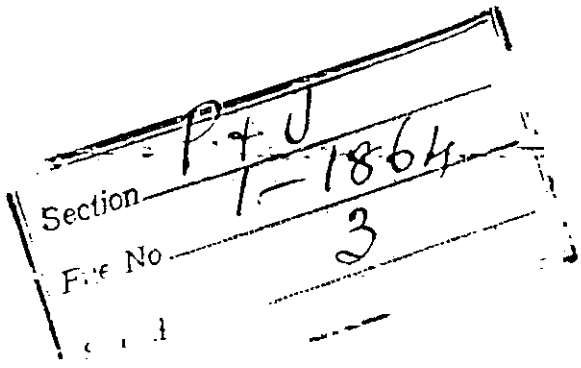
Mysore Commissioners Office
Bangalore 22d August 1865

To

The Chief Engineer in Mysore

Sir,



I am the honor, by desire of the Commissioner, to forward ~~for your information~~, a copy of a letter No 1997/48 dated 21st Instant, to the Judicial Commissioner in Mysore, and ~~with reference thereto~~ to request that you will be so good as to direct the Executive Engineer of the Nuggur Division to ~~proceed to Hurihur and~~ place himself in communication with the DI Surgeon of the Shimoga District ~~and the Superintendent Medical Officer~~, with a view & ~~according~~ to ~~in order~~ to select an eligible site for the construction of a Jail at Hurihur.

22/8/65

Have &c

Asst Secretary.

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Civil Engr 1066 No 2046
& Bridges 364

The Chief Engineer
in Ingeen

Dated 22nd August
Del P.D. 23rd —

Genl Chs 2046
P.W.D. 364

I request to direct the Executive Engineer Ingeen Dn to place himself in Communication with the Dy Insp Genl Shimoga Dn & proceed to Sorab in order to select an eligible site for the Construction of a Civil Stores.

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General No. 2015 }
Judicial " 49. } 1865/66.

Mysore Commissioner's Office
Bangalore 22nd August 1865

To

The Offg. Superintendent of the
Nagar Division

Section P+J
Vol No 1-1864
Serial No 4

Sir,

I have the honor, by desire of the Commissr. to forward for your information a copy of a letter No. 1997 dated 21st Instant, to the Judicial Commissioner, Mysore, and with reference thereto to request that you will be so good as to depute the Deputy Superintendent of the Shimoga District and the Medical Officer thereon to examine and report upon an eligible site being available for the construction of a suitable Jail at Nuribur. The Chief Engr. has been requested to direct the Exe. Engr. also deputed. —

I have &c

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A.G. Secretary

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Judh. 1865 No 2045/49

To

The Hon. Superintendent of Police
Bangalore

Dated 12th June 65

Despd. 23rd

Recd. 15th June 65

Judicial No 2049.
Bangalore 14 June 1865.

Sir,

Reports of Police Case 94
dated 9th June 1865 Chickmagalore District
and the Medical Officer there
to examine and report upon
Ameer Ali who is now the Com-
plainant in the said case
Ibrahim Ameer Ali

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

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Genl. No. 291
Encl. No. 12

8 Sugur Division, Supt.ts Office
Camp Hosséroog, 18th October 1865

To
The A.g. Secretary to the Govt.
for the Government of the Territories of H. H. the Rajah of
Mysore

Sir I do acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2045/49 of the 22nd August last I have the honor to state that in accordance with the instructions therein conveyed, a Committee was assembled as per margin, whose report with a sketch of the proposed site for the Jail is herewith forwarded. The delay in its submission has been caused by the dilatoriness of the subordinate who prepared the sketch.

I have personally inspected the spots mentioned in the Report and agree with the Committee that the site selected by them is the best, in case it should be determined to construct the Jail at Hurryhur.

In the event however of the Jail being built at Shimoga, I am personally in favor of site No. 2, that is in the vicinity of the present

Lieut. T. G. Cumming. Offg. Sup.t Chick. &c.
Lieut. Orle R. E. Asst. Engineer
Dr. J. Heard, Asst. Surgeon Sugur &c.

Temporary jail, though I admit the site near the Nowly Hill has the advantages for the facilities it presents in the Construction of the buildings, which Captain Palmer points out; but these are professional points and should be subservient to Sanatory Considerations. But I must add that in my opinion no jail built at or near Shimoga is likely to prove very healthy. The sickness and mortality at Nowla or the Temporary Jail will doubtless be much less than in the old Jail on the banks of the River. But no human skill can, I venture to say, render the immediate neighbourhood of Shimoga healthy, in Confirmation of which assertion I may mention that the occupants of Major C. Elliots new house, European and Native, built on high open ground a mile and half on the Sagur Road, have not escaped from fever, and the same may be said with regard to the new house in its immediate

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vicinity now occupied by Dr. Heard.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt

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Offg Superintt

Encl.

Judl. 1865. 6 No. 12

From the Superintendent
Engineer Division,
To the Actg. Secretary
& Commissioner.
Dated 18th October.
Desp.d 18th
Received 23rd Do.
Read 24th
Enclosures Two.

Genl. No 291 / 1865.6
Encl. 12

In reply to letter No 2045
of the 22nd Aug. 1865, 49
forwards the report of
the Committee assembled
at Kurnaul on the subject
of a site for the Jail
at Kurnaul, with the
observations of the Supt.
A Sketch of the site is
also forwarded

Comm.
23 Oct 65.

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Serial No 5

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A Committee having assembled at Hurryhur on the 25th instant pursuant to the instructions of the Superintendent of the Sagur Division and composed of Lieut. F. Gordon Cumming, Asst. Surgeon Heard, and Lieut. Pole R. E. proceeded to inspect the environs of the station for several miles, with the view of ascertaining the best site for a permanent jail for the Sagur Division.

The only localities which appear to the Committee worthy of consideration are, 1st, one situated midway (or at the distance of 1/2 mile) between the Cantonment & Town of Hurryhur and at about the same distance from the river. The ground is elevated and well drained, but the soil is the (so called) black Cotton and it is extremely doubtful whether water is procurable without sinking to a great depth, as a Nullah has excavated to the depth of 60 ft in immediate neighbourhood without striking water.

The 2nd is situated close to the Chitteldroog road near the 4th mile stone, and is in every respect

suitable, the distance from the station excepted which is in the opinion of the Committee too great.

The 3rd which they have decided on adopting is on a direct line from the Cantonment of Hurryhur to the Fort Annee 1 mile from the former and half a mile from the nearest point of the rivers bank. Here there is a plateau of 400 yards by 300 elevated to a height of about 40 ft above the surrounding plain. The surface consists of red earth intermixed with coarse water worn pebbles, the underlying stratum, as would appear from a section in a Nullah some 300 yards to the rear, consists of stratified (sandstone) rock with a slight admixture of Quartz. In this Nullah also there is abundance of water, so the Committee do not anticipate ~~anticipate~~ any difficulty in obtaining it at a moderate depth within the Jail Enclosure. The water in the Nullah is slightly bitter and saline in taste, but is not more disagreeable than that of the station of Hurryhur, which is not reported to be unwholesome. The river water will answer all the requirements of

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washing and bathing. The surrounding Country for the distance of more than a mile is covered with rich crops of Jowarri & dal.

The surface of the plateau slopes gently in all directions, the north excepted

A rough sketch is attached for information.

/signed/ F. G. Cumming
Offg Supt: Supt

/signed/ P. Heard
Asst Surgeon
Irrigation Division

/sd/ George N. L. Cole Lieut RE
Asst Engineer

True Copy/

Offg Supt

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General Ass 3343
P.W.D. 1883-C

H.C.C.
Bangalore 26th October 1865.

To

The Supt. Penns.
Ceylon.

Sir

Civil Works
Bail Bridge.

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I am directed to forward for your information the enclosed letter, No. 2921/12, dated the 18th Inst with its accompaniments, in regard to the selection from the Plans, Estimates & Reports, and to observe that the Govt will be obliged by your favouring them with your opinion on the alternative site as a Gaol at Kurunegalla, as it is the intention to submit the whole question for the orders of Govt in connection with the present Jail at Kurunegalla and the Project for building a new one.

I have &c

Secy.

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Lettre Judiciale Commun.
au Magistrat.

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Mr № 18 Mandat avec les accompagnements
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par Huissier Audiencier

Mr Mr

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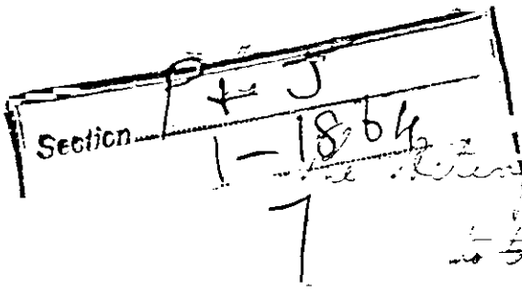
Mysore Sub Commissioner Office
Dated Bangalore 28th October 1864.

From

G. P. Saunders Esqre A.D.C.

Judicial Commissioner

in Mysore



To H. Rivett Carnac Secretary

to the Commissioner

in Mysore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge your
G.O. No 3343
P.W.D. 483 dated the 26th instant forwarding for my
information a letter No 201 of the 18th instant with its
accompaniments in original herewith returned
as requested.

2. The Commissioner has requested me to
state my opinion in regard to the alternative Site
now proposed for a Jail at Kunnikur. I have the
honor to state that I do not see any objection to the Site
which has been selected by the Committee which has
been recently assembled for the purpose by order of the
Commissioner, beyond the fact of the water of the
adjoining Tullah being slightly saline and
brackish

Bradish.

3 I have already in the lengthened correspondence which has taken place on the subject of the much contested question of the preferred site for the New Jail, and especially in my letter N: 103 of the 14th of August and 142 of the 28th September 1854 given my views in detail regarding the several propositions affecting the question under discussion on which my opinion has from time to time been requested.

4 In the present occasion therefore after drawing the Commissioners attention to the remarks contained in the 2d and 3d Paras of my last quoted letter, I will merely content myself with adding to what I have already written on the subject that if the Jail be constructed at Lucan I have little doubt that the Prisoners will on the whole maintain a better state of health than they would at Glenagh, notwithstanding that the Climate of the place is better and perhaps in some respects not so congenial to the people of the Mulroad and Jungle tracts as Glenagh. I would therefore upon

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mere sanitary grounds, be inclined to consider that the selection of Kurrichur as a Site for the Jail would be preferable one. Upon all other consideration however and especially those connected with the more convenient and advantageous carrying out of the Criminal and Police Administration of the Nuggur Division, I consider that Kemogah, as being the Head Quarters of the above Division, and of the Central District thereof, is more suited for the purpose.

The event however of Kurrichur being finally determined upon as the site of the New Jail, I would beg to commend specially to the Commissioners attention and consideration the proposition contained in the 2d Para of my letter to your address No 103 of the 14th August.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

Chas Saunders

Judicial Commissioner

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1865

From the Judicial Commissioner's

To the Secretary to the Commissioners

Dated 28th Oct.

Despatched 3 Nov 65

Received 3 Nov 65

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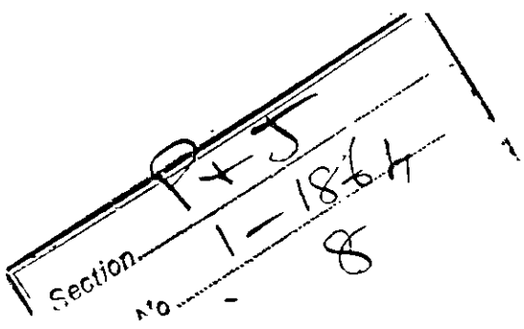
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